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Letter dated 5 May 2011 from the Permanent Representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to refer to Security Council resolution 1973 (2001) adopted on 17 March 2011. In accordance with paragraph 14 of that resolution, I wish to inform you that, in exercise of the authority conferred by paragraph 13 of the resolution, on 13 April 2001 *HMS Liverpool*, patrolling off the coast of Libya under operational control of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, boarded and inspected the Maltese registered vessel *MV Setubal Express*. In accordance with paragraph 15 of the resolution, a written report is being submitted to the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1970 (2011).

I would be grateful if could circulate the present letter as a document of the Security Council.

(*Signed*) Mark **Lyall Grant**

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